UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT NORTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK	
KENNETH McMASTER,	
Plaintiff,	
-V-	9:15-CV-0578 (DNH/CFH)
L.W. LABARGE, S.D. LAMARE, E. SMITH, K. ELLSWORTH, J.G. TATRO, M.C. TOMPKINS, C.S. ROWE,	
Defendants.	
APPEARANCES:	OF COUNSEL:
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DAVID N. HURD United States District Judge

P.O. Box 2001 Malone, NY 12953

DECISION and ORDER

Pro se plaintiff Kenneth McMaster brought this civil rights action pursuant to 42 U.S.C. § 1983. On June 30, 2016, the Honorable Christian F. Hummel, United States Magistrate Judge, advised by Report-Recommendation that defendants' motion to dismiss pursuant to Federal Rule

of Civil Procedure 12(b)(6) be denied. See ECF No. 43. Defendants have filed timely objections. See ECF No. 44. Plaintiff has filed a response to such objections. See ECF No. 45.

Based upon a careful review of the entire file and the recommendations of the Magistrate Judge, the Report-Recommendation is accepted in whole. See 28 U.S.C. 636(b)(1).

Therefore, it is ORDERED that:

- 1. Defendants' motion to dismiss pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 12(b)(6) (ECF No. 27) is **DENIED**; and
- 2. The Clerk serve a copy of this Decision and Order upon plaintiff in accordance with the Local Rules.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

United States District

Dated: September 22, 2016

Utica, New York